

House Resolution No. 2501

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who admirably have devoted an exceptional amount of time and effort to ensure that students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Mary Patricia Blaylock has attained considerable distinction as a teacher for the Malden R-I School District, a vocational calling that she will draw to a close in well-deserved retirement on June 30, 2007, after more than thirty years of service; and

Whereas, during her tenure with Malden schools, Pat Blaylock taught reading, remedial language arts, kindergarten, and fourth grade; and

Whereas, Pat Blaylock previously served for two years as a fourth-grade teacher at Humbolt Elementary School in Humbolt, Tennessee; and

Whereas, a fan of the Malden Green Wave, Pat Blaylock has also been intricately involved with the Boy Scouts of America organization outside of the classroom; and

Whereas, Pat Blaylock is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved wife of Gary, mother of Josh, and mother-in-law of Amanda; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative activities in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri citizens as Pat Blaylock at momentous times in their lives:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered by Pat Blaylock down through the years and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Mary Patricia Blaylock of Campbell, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Thomas Todd
District No. 163

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2501, adopted April 23, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker